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## VIA FACSIMILE (215) 814-3005 VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Ms. Kristine Matzko (3HS23) Remedial Project Manager United States Environmental Protection Agency 1650 Arch Street Philadelphia, PA 19103

> RE: Lower Darby Creek Area Superfund Site-Folcroft Landfill and Folcroft Landfill Annex Delaware County, Pennsylvania ("Site")

Dear Ms. Matzko:

Cargill, Inc. ("Cargill") has received a Notice of Potential Liability Letter ("Notice Letter") from Mr. Ferdas, Director Region III Hazardous Site Cleanup Division. The Notice Letter requested that, within fourteen days of Cargill's receipt of the Notice Letter, Cargill advise of its willingness or unwillingness to participate in future negotiations regarding the Site. Please be advised that Cargill is willing to consider participation in future negotiations. This firm, Babst, Calland, Clements & Zomnir, P.C., has been retained to assist Cargill with this matter, therefore, please direct all future correspondence relating to the Site to me at the address listed below, as well as to Kimberly K. Thorstad, Esquire at the following address: Cargill, Inc. Law Department, P.O. Box 5624, Minneapolis, MN 55440-5642.

Sincerely,

Michele M. Gutman

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cc: Kimberly K. Thorstad, Esquire (via facsimile (952) 742-6349)